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**COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA**  
**Thursday, November 21, 2024**  
**1:30 p.m.**

The Oregon Racing Commission will meet at **1:30 pm on Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024.** The meeting will be held remotely via Microsoft Teams videoconference. You may join the meeting by clicking on the link below, or by calling in. Please be aware if you call in, your phone number will appear as your ID.

Topic: Oregon Racing Commission's Regular Commission Meeting  
Time: November 21, 2024, 01:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

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**AGENDA ITEMS**

**ROLL CALL:**

**APPROVALS (need to conduct a vote):**

- 1) Meeting Agenda.
- 2) September Minutes.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- 3) Director's Report
- 4) Budget Committee Report
- 5) Medication and Safety Committee Report

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- 6) Oath of Office – Dr. Harvey Stein, DVM
- 7) Elections for Chair and Vice Chair
- 8) Committee Assignments
  - a) Best Practices/Strategic Planning
  - b) Medication and Safety
  - c) Budget
  - d) Online and Responsible Wagering
- 9) Tillamook County Fair Report
- 10) Oregon Quarter Horse Racing Association (OQHRA) Report
- 11) Oregon Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (OTOBA) Report
- 12) Oregon Horsemen’s Benevolence and Protection Association (OHBPA) Report
- 13) ORC Budget Review
- 14) Horse Racing Association (HRA) Report
- 15) ORS 462.405.3 – Temporary Authority of Steward
- 16) Approve Calendar for 2025 Meetings
- 17) Discuss the findings of the Medication and Safety Committee and recommendations including the possible approval to begin the rule making process for the following:
  - a) NSAID use – Not allowed within 48 hours of race start.
  - b) Discontinuation of the use of certain treatments within 48 hours of start of race:
    - i) Lasers
    - ii) Nebulizers
    - iii) Electro-magnetic boots
    - iv) Whirlpool boots
    - v) Acupuncture
  - c) Changes to Coggin’s rule.
- 18) Discussion and possible approval to begin the rule making process for 462-200-0675 – Best X of Y.
- 19) Farewell to Commissioner Beckstead

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

**CONTESTED CASES:**

None.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Pursuant to ORS 192.660(2)(f), for the Commission to consider information or records that are exempt by law from public inspection under ORS 192.345(12).

**CONFIRMATION OF NEXT COMMISSION MEETING:**

The next commission meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at 1:30 P.M. remotely via Microsoft Teams.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Movement to adjourn.

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